

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions and listings of claims in the application:

LISTING OF CLAIMS:

1. (currently amended): An image transmitting device comprising:
 - combining process means for generating a composite image by joining a plurality of original images;
 - storing means for storing the composite image generated by the combining process means and the original images that the composite image comprises together with corresponding combining data required for generating the composite image; and
 - selection process means for executing a selection process that outputs one or more of the composite image, original images, or combining data as output data based on an output destination device specified as the destination for image transmission,
 - wherein the selection process means executes the following selection processes (a) or (b):
 - (a) a selection process on output data predetermined based on attributes of the output destination device;
 - (b) a selection process on output data based on setting in an output data selection table that associates identification data for a plurality of destination devices with various output or non-output data of the composite image, original image, and combining data.

Claims 2-3. (canceled).

4. (currently amended): An image transmitting device as recited in claim 1, wherein the selection process means executes a the selection process on output data based on user specifications.

5. (currently amended): An image transmitting method comprising:
a composite process step for generating a composite image by joining a plurality of original images;
a storing step for storing the composite image generated by the combining process means and the original images that the composite image comprises together with corresponding composite data required for generating the composite image; and
a selection process step for executing a selection process that outputs one or more of the composite image, original images, or combining data as output data based on an output destination device specified as the destination for image transmission,

wherein the selection process in the selection step is executed as the following selection processes (a) or (b):

(a) a selection process on output data predetermined based on attributes of the output destination device;

(b) a selection process on output data based on setting in an output data selection table that associates identification data for a plurality of destination devices with various output or non-output data of the composite image, original image, and combining data.

Claims 6-7. (canceled).

8. (currently amended): An image transmitting method as recited in claim 5, wherein the selection process in the selection process step is executed ~~on output data~~ based on user specifications.

Claims 9-16. (canceled).